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SUBJECT: SCHMIDT VISIT TO US: PRESS STATEMENT

1. FRG FONOFF HAS INFORMED US THAT FRG GOVERNMENT PRESS SPOKESMAN, BOELLING, WILL MAKE A GENERAL STATEMENT ON DECEMBER 2 ABOUT CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT'S UPCOMING VISIT TO THE US. AS DESCRIBED TO US, THE STATEMENT WILL NOTE THE CLOSE US-FRG RELATIONSHIP, THE FACT THAT SCHMIDT IS GOING TO THE US AT PRESIDENT FORD'S INVITATION AND FOR THE FIRST TIME AS CHANCELLOR, AND THE PRESSING ECONOMIC AND OTHER MATTERS THAT HE WILL DISCUSS. IT WILL ALSO PROVIDE SOME OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SCHMIDT (AND GENSCHER) PROGRAM IN THE US.

2. FONOFF HAS PROMISED TO PROVIDE US WITH A COPY OF THE PROPOSED STATEMENT WHEN IT IS AVAILABLE. WE WERE ASKED WHETHER THERE WOULD BE ANY OBJECTION IN PRINCIPLE FROM US SIDE TO THE FRG SPOKESMAN'S ANNOUNCING PARTS OF THE US PROGRAM. WE UNDERTOOK TO PASS ALONG THE QUERY.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPT'S VIEWS ON FRG REQUEST.

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